

State of Utah
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DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

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March 25, 2003

CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT 7099 3400 0016 8896 2543

Bryce H. Haas 331 East 200 South Lindon, Utah 84042

Re:

Second Review of Revised Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, Bryce Haas, Dove Gray Quarry, S/049/039, Utah County, Utah

Dear Mr. Haas:

On March 10, 2003, we received your \$150.00 check and your revised Notice to Commence Small Mining Operations for your proposed Dove Gray Quarry located in Section 33, T11S, R9E, SLBM. In reviewing the notice, we find the notice to be inconsistent with the site conditions observed during inspections of the site on January 22 and March 3, 2003. Before the Division can accept your Notice, you will need to correct these items. Please note, you are not authorized to conduct mining operations at this site until the Division accepts your notice in writing.

On Page 2, Under *II Project location and Map (Rule R647-3-105)*

1) Item #1 - Project Location - requires the location be identified to the ¼ ¼ ¼ section, and the name of the quad map that shows the location. The GPS survey shows that your quarry is located in the NW/4 of the SW/4 of the NE/4, and the SW/4 of the NW/4 of the NE/4 of Section 33, Township 11 South, Range 9 East, SLBM. The Name of the Quad map for location is 'Kyune'. The Division will add this to your Notice; you will not need to provide a response to this item.

On Page 3, Under III Operation Plan (Rule 647-3-106):

- 2) Item #4 description of the operation you state the "removal of landscape rock from surface." The inspections of the site show that you have been drilling and shooting large blocks of rock this is not considered removal of landscape rock from the surface. Please provide an accurate description of your intended operations at this site.
- 3) Item #7 Total disturbed acreage you identify 1 acre for the total project surface disturbance. During the Division's March 3, 2003 inspection, a GPS survey determined



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current disturbance to be 3.55 acres. Please provide an accurate projection of the acreage you intend to disturb for this site. Please note, you will also need to mark the perimeter of your proposed disturbed area with metal t-posts or other suitable permanent markers.

Please address these items on a separate page identified as 'Page 3 a' so that we can insert it into your notice. Failure to provide a response addressing these deficiencies by April 10, 2003 will result in the Division denying your notice and requiring immediate reclamation of all disturbances associated with this project. The Notice of Noncompliance issued February 3, 2003, cannot be abated until all items are sufficiently addressed and you have received written acceptance from this office. Please be advised that no mining activity may take place without first receiving written acceptance from this office.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me at 538-5310.

Sincerely,

Lynn Kunzler

Senior Reclamation Specialist